DEVELOPMENT (194 4) Department

SERIES

Passed

G.O. No. 2736.

Dated 23rd June 1944

[Despatch Abstract.]

Establishments - Agriculture - Store-keeper, for the Agricultural Research Station, Siruguppa - Sanctioned.

A 1

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT. 32281

From Rao Bahadur B. Viswa Nath, O.B.E., D.Sc., F.I.C., Director of Agriculture. Madras.

To The Additional Secretary to Government, Development Department, Madras.

No. Roc.A.4-746/44 dated 30th May 1944.

Sir,

Sub: Establishment - Storekeeper - Agricultural Research Station, Siruguppa - entertainment - proposals.

I submit below proposals for the entertainment of a Storekeeper at the Agricultural Research Station, Siruguppa.

2. The station was opened in the year 1937 and it is being continued on a temporary basis-the present sanction accorded in G.O.No. Ms.488 Public Works dated 18th February 1944 and communicated with Development Department Endorsement 10890-AII/44-1 dated 21st February 1944 being up to 31st March 1947. The clerical staff provided for the station in G.O.No. 2952 Public Works Department dated 12th December 1936 is one Farm clerk each on Rs. 30-55 and this staff is being continued up to now. No provision was then thought necessary for a Store-keeper as the stock of articles and produce to be handled were small and the transactions and sales were very few. There has, however, been a gradual increase year after year in the stock of all kinds of grain, cattle food and miscellaneous articles besides Deadstock, Library stock and oil engine stock as can be seen from the following statement of stock handled and value thereof.

	Grain stock. lbs.	Cattle food. lbs.	Miscellaneous stock.	Total value. Rs.
1937 - 38	16976	111778	5481	2585
1938 - 39	34762	104580	48185	1735
1939 - 40	39036	49598	52801	1169
1940 - 41	80267	79107	36493	2095
1941 - 42	69911	117339	38957	5685
1942 - 43	90050	218559	34914	9871
1943 - 44	77341	194747	16636	9693.

The receipts realised for the station given below - would also indicate the increase of work in the store transactions of the station.

1937 - 38	89
1938 - 39	293
1939 - 40	466
1940 - 41	1370
1941 - 42	1784
1942 - 43	6038
1943 - 44	4840

The clerical work connected with the stores including preparation of connected returns has consequently considerably increased in recent years. The produce of the station has to be periodically dried and carefully preserved against weevil and rat attack and stored properly with necessary labels. Besides the bulk produce, account have to be kept of a number of varieties of millets, cotton and other seeds required for experimental trials and for cotton and jonna breeding schemes. With the opening of the Bagavathi Demonstration Farm, more seeds and materials will have to be stocked and issued to ryots.

3. In the absence of a Store-keeper these items of work were being entrusted to the executive and clerical staff on the station, but now due to the additional work thrown on them on account of larger area under cultivation, increase in the number of experiments and the varieties of crops under trial all round the year on the one

2

43/2416

II

hand and the steady increase in the store work on the other hand it is no larger possible for them to cope up with this extra work. Necessity is keenly felt for a specially responsible Store-keeper to remain in charge of stores and attend to all transactions and scriptory work connected therewith and there is justification for a wholetime Store-keeper. I request therefore that Government may be pleased to sanction the appointment of a store-keeper on Rs. 30-3/2-45-2/2-55 with a security deposit of not less than Rs. 300/- till 31st March 1947. The budget provision required for the current year will be included in my ~~Research Engineer's~~ Revised Estimate

Your obedient servant,

V K Lasker

for Director of Agriculture.

Please issue
B23/6/44.
V.K. 1/6.

Dev Dept

Sub:- Establishments Agriculture
Store-keeper for the Agricultural Research Station, Siruguppa - Sanctioned

Read:- G.O. No. 488 MS. P.W. 8-18-2-44
from the D.A. Roc A4 746/44 & 30 5/44

Order MS. No. 2736 - 8-23-6-44

H.E. the Governor of Madras is pleased to sanction the employment temporarily till 31-3-1945 from the date of employment of a Storekeeper on Rs. 30-3/2-45-2/2-55 as a temporary addition to Category IV of the MMS at the Agricultural Research Station, Siruguppa, to cope with the increase of work connected with Stores. The storekeeper shall be required to ~~should pay~~ a security deposit ~~of Rs 300~~ of not less than Rs. 300, before joining duty.

B 26/6/44

P.W.D. Sanction till 31-3-45 only need be given now
and Finance may see for acceptance.

B 6/6/44

GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT

9 JUN 1944

2764

To the D.A.
Agri. Dir
P.W. Dept
Pub (Sec)

Dev no 3128/A7 Lab

PWD
Pub (Sec)

P.W.D

To P.S.

The draft order at p. 2 ante may be accepted and the file passed on to Pub (Ser) no

9.6.44 Public Ser

P.W.D. U.O. 22640/44-1
12/6/44

Public Ser. Deptt

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT.
13 JUN 1944
CHIEF SECRETARIAT

The draft order on p 2 ante may be accepted in this deptt and the file passed on to Finance.

30381/13/6.

14.6.44.

ARV
16.6.44

Fin

Finance (Sy)

FD Pub Ser. on the

W. O. 30361/44-1

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
17 JUN 1944
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

17/6/44

505
156
661

17.6.44

The draft order on p 2 ante may be accepted yes. But something is wrong with the figures at page 1 cf. 16976 lbs of grain 11178 lbs of cattle food and

84127

17.6.44

4

5481 lb of (God knows what) of miscellaneous stores cost only Rs 2585

14 bns - 2585
16 185B

19.6.44

35803

Dev. Dept.

Notes from p 3 above. (There appears to be nothing wrong with the figures)

2. For orders as to the issue of the draft order on p 2 above.

21/6/44

22/6/44

28/6/44

[Issued as G.O. No. 2736 M&Dev. 8/23/44]

SECRETARIAL ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
20 JUN 1944
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT